

1 RENE L. VALLADARES
Federal Public Defender
2 Nevada State Bar No. 11479
KEISHA K. MATTHEWS
3 Assistant Federal Public Defender
411 E. Bonneville, Ste. 250
4 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101
(702) 388-6577/Phone
5 Keisha_Matthews@fd.org

6 Attorney for Matthew Lopes

7
8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 MATTHEW LOPES,

14 Defendant.

Case No. 2:24-cr-00074-JCM-BNW

**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE
CHANGE OF PLEA HEARING**
(First Request)

15
16 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between Jason M. Frierson,
17 United States Attorney, and Daniel J. Cowhig, Assistant United States Attorney, counsel for
18 the United States of America, and Rene L. Valladares, Federal Public Defender, and
19 Keisha K. Matthews, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for Matthew Lopes, that the
20 Change of Plea Hearing currently scheduled on June 3, 2024 at 10:30 a.m., be vacated and
21 continued to a date and time convenient to the Court, but no sooner than seven (7) days.

22 This Stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

- 23 1. The parties request additional time to prepare for the change of plea.
24 2. The defendant is in custody and agrees with the need for the continuance.
25 3. The parties agree to the continuance.
26 4. Defense counsel is unavailable on June 13th, 14th and June 17th-21st.

This is the first request for a continuance of the Change of Plea hearing.

DATED this 22nd day of May 2024.

RENE L. VALLADARES
Federal Public Defender

JASON M. FRIERSON
United States Attorney

/s/ Keisha K. Matthews
By _____

KEISHA K. MATTHEWS
Assistant Federal Public Defender

/s/ Daniel J. Cowhig
By _____

DANIEL J. COWHIG
Assistant United States Attorney

1 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
2 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

3 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

4 Plaintiff,

5 v.

6 MATTHEW LOPES,

7 Defendant.
8

Case No. 2:24-cr-00074-JCM-BNW

ORDER

9
10 IT IS ORDERED that the Change of Plea hearing currently scheduled for
11 Monday, June 3, 2024, at 10:30 a.m., be vacated and continued to **June 12, 2024, at 10:30**
12 **a.m.**

13 DATED May 24, 2024.

14
15 
16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26